Mr. G. Narayana Aiyar : Is there any other means of communication through land except this road ?

Mr. S. Sesha Aiyar : No, Sir.

Mr. G. Narayana Aiyar : In view of the importance of the road may I know whether the raising and metalling of the road will be considered ?

Mr. S. Sesha Aiyar : Yes, Sir.

Maintenance of the A. V. M. Canal between Thengapattanam and Poovar.

62. ***Mr. M. Sultan Muhiadheen** : Will the Government be pleased to state ;

(*a*) whether there is any annual budget allotment for the maintenance of the A. V. M. canal ; and

(*b*) if so whether any work is being done at all towards the maintenance of the same ?

Mr. S. Sesha Aiyar : (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Yes.

Mr. T. Krishna Pillai (*Kalkulam and Vilavancode* cum *Neyyattinkara*) : May I know the amount of the budget allotment for maintenance for the year 1114 ?

Mr. S. Sesha Aiyar : The allotment was Rs. 880 in 1114.

Mr. T. Krishna Pillai : Out of this allotment how much amount was spent ?

Mr. S. Sesha Aiyar : The information regarding the total amount spent for this year will be available only after the end of the year.

The rumoured abolition of the Kalavur Sub-Registry office.

63. ***Mr. K. M. Kesavan** (*Karunagapalli, Kartikapalli and Ambalapuzha* cum *Shertallai*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether there is any idea of abolishing the Kalavur Sub-Registry office ;

(*b*) whether it does not serve the need of a large section of the people ;

(*c*) whether the income derived from the office is not sufficient to maintain the office ;

(*d*) whether there is any minimum fixed in the income of an office for its continuance ; and

(*e*) the shortest distance from any other Sub-Registry office to Kalavur ?

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